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Solicited Requirement on Source with Information on Voroshilov
and Vladivostok

Background

There have been numerous reports of construction of guided missile launch sites in the Voroshilov-Vladivostok area. Any information on highly secure areas where these facilities may have been established or may be under construction is desired. It is possible, too, that much less elaborate launch site activity is also under way, including advance surveying of potential launch positions or storage of missile fuel and equipment in selected areas. The present source may have had unique opportunities to collect fairly recent information of great value to this Branch.

Requirements

Specifically, the following types of information are desired:

1. Any information confirming or denying missile activity, including rumors, discussions or intimations of possible activity.
2. The location, designation, MUN, branch of service, insignia and size of any units suspected of missile activity.
3. Information on unidentified military survey activity, in non-populated areas.
4. Description and location of any concrete or metal pad-like structures in areas adjacent to rail lines or roads.
5. Newly constructed spur lines or branch roads leading to highly secure, unidentified facilities.
6. Any rumors or observations of storage of missile fuel in remote or restricted areas.
7. Description, time and location of sighting, direction of movement, description of associated vehicles, services of associated military personnel and any other relevant details

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**in connection with sightings of the following missile associated
transport equipment:**



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- b. Missile transporters - extra long freight or gondola cars with removable top and/or ends.
- c. Power generator rail cars - identifiable by their slope edged roofs and turret type protuberances.
- d. Rail flat cars, coupled or extra long, carrying tarpaulin covered objects.
- e. Extra long rail flat cars with special equipment for handling or servicing missiles.
- f. Elongated, road-mobile trailers which might be used for missile transport.



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